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 Applicant : Thomas M. Kurth et al.
 Appln. No. : 09/944,212
 Filing Date : August 31, 2001
 Confirmation No. : 2406
 For : **TRANSESTERIFIED POLYOL HAVING SELECTABLE
 AND INCREASED FUNCTIONALITY AND URETHANE
 MATERIAL PRODUCTS FORMED USING THE POLYOL**

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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE AND ELECTION

In response to the Office Action mailed August 12, 2004, Applicants hereby elect Group I, claims 36-37, 40-54, and 76-82. Accordingly, please cancel Group II, claims 55-62.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper

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